

LOCAL NEWS

We are almost as good a weather prophet as wedding prophet. We said a few days ago that the cold wave would strike Butler on to-morrow. It's coming, and don't you doubt it.

General Clark on Friday filed in the Recorder's office five leases, covering five hundred acres of coal land, for the Fort Scott, St. Louis & Chicago Railroad company. These lands lie in the vicinity of Rich Hill.

Billy O. Jackson says he will accept the loan of our good looks to go to the masquerade ball in, and says he will play monkey. That's right, Billy O. Jackson, you would play the monkey well. It would come so natural to you, wouldn't it, old fel.

Judge Charles I. Roberts bought of Mrs. Neal five acres of land, on which the Judge will plant an evergreen shrubbery. That's a good idea, and will pay to. Evergreens are useful, as well as ornamental. Go ahead, Judge.

Dr. Crumly has sold sixty-eight points of vaccine matter within the past week. We are glad our people are taking the usual precautions against small pox. It is all over the country and is liable to appear here at any time.

If old Mr. Haskins succeeds in recovering that three millions he has brought suit for in England we wouldn't be surprised if the old gentleman and ourself are closely related. If he gets the money, we know we are.

Gen. Clark of Fort Scott and a number of the Fort Scott, St. Louis & Chicago railroad company paid the TIMES office a pleasant visit on Friday evening. The General says the profile of the survey is nearly completed by the surveying corps and that the company expects to get to work in early spring on the road above Holden; but says that much will depend upon the aid and encouragement the company will receive along the line. There is not a farmer in Bates county through whose farm the line of this road will run that should hesitate for a moment to donate to the company the right of way. That this road will, if built, be of incalculable benefit to all classes and interests in Bates county no sane man will deny. It will bring a market to your doors for your products of all kinds, varied as they are, will cheapen transportation and develop thoroughly and rapidly the almost inexhaustible resources of our favored section, while your broad acres will be enhanced five fold in value. To the Rip Van Winkle's of Butler we beg to say that as soon as the office work is completed, the company will come along for business. Do you hear us, and are you prepared to talk business, to say what you can or will do to secure the benefits of this enterprise to yourselves and posterity? What will you give, is the question? Are you ready to answer or to act on any proposition that may be submitted, or are you ready to submit propositions yourselves? No, you are not.

Wake up, ye solid men of Butler. There is a Fort Scott, St. Louis & Chicago railroad man in the city, and a live one too. There is music in the air. Don't you hear the racket? If you dance you must help pay the fiddler. That's the chat. Chin music don't count any longer. So throw your skads in sight.

The circulation of the Daily TIMES has increased so much that it takes two sprightly carriers to deliver it to our city readers now, and we are expecting to need a third carrier pretty soon if the boom continues. Well, we can stand anything but a greased streak of lightning.

The opening of the Talmage house in Rich Hill on the 22d of February, the birth-day of the father of his country, will be the grandest thing of the kind ever seen in these parts. Jay Gould has placed at Theo's command a train of ten palace cars free of charge to convey guests from Butler and other adjacent cities to the Infant Wonder on that day. A free ride and a free lunch for the local, Jemima.

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STAPLE AND FANCY GROCERIES
AS CHEAP AS THE CHEAPEST
Country Produce Wanted in Exchange For Goods.
Furniture and Undertaking
We are constantly receiving New Patterns in Furniture of all kinds with which we defy
Competition in Quality and Price.
Please call and convince yourselves of the fact.
Coffins Furnished On One
Hours Notice Night or Day. North side square.
Daniels Bros.

Steam hot, dripped coffee, at Will Kessler's. The old folks yearn for it, and the young ones love it.

It seems that the small pox at Joplin and Carthage is confined almost exclusively to the colored population. Rough on the truly loyal, ain't it?

De C. Mize, formerly of Warrensburg but now of this city, Mr. Christopher's head clerk, joined the Christian church by letter on Sunday.

Mr. James Riddle has sold his interest in the firm of A. L. McBride & Co. to Frank Smith and A. L. McBride. Mr. Riddle retires on the first day of February.

There will be a sociable at the Ohio street M. E. church to-morrow evening under the auspices of the Young Folk's Christian Association. All young folks are cordially invited.

The Sunday School on Sunday morning at the M. E. church, South was largely attended. Mr. W. C. Horn is the Superintendent and Tilden H. Smith, assistant.

Boss Pace's glass fronts have arrived, and are being put in by the workmen, and when completed, we say without fear of telling a story, that it will be the handsomest front in the State, that's what we are shouting.

Gus Bennett says he knows the chap that stole his hat and left an old cap in its place. If that rooster don't return that hat pretty soon Gus will have him snatched bald headed and don't you forget it.

Bob Walters and W. C. Hendrix paid the TIMES office a pleasant visit Saturday evening last, which was highly appreciated by the TIMES people. They are good fellows and we will always be glad to see them. Call again gents.

The railroad magnate that was in town on Friday last left on Saturday morning. He is impressed with the opinion that the solid men of Butler don't care much to have the Fort Scott, St. Louis & Chicago road. Well, it does look that way to a man up a tree.

The North Mainers have pluck and vim. Success always meets the enterprising and adventurous half way, and it's right too. They lay down their money and fortune would believe itself, if it didn't smile on them. Ye west siders just think for a moment of the offer made to Mr. Walton. That's the kind of a racket plucky men always make. The men on North Main are at a considerable outlay now, but they will wear their golden slippers in the bright mornings light of the future. Oh, do you hear us, Hannah?

It is devilish aggravating to the farmers who bring their produce to the city for sale to have it eaten up by the cows that are prowling the streets from early morn to night. On Saturday last a farmer brought in a wagon loaded with some kind of produce, was compelled to stand for some time and fight these ravenous street prowlers with might and main. He was reinforced by the local editor of the TIMES and the bovines were at last put to flight, after having thrown stones and a few mild expletives. The city ought either repeal the ordinance or enforce it, or burst.

There are but two dead sure things on earth—death and taxes. Has the J.-D. Daily turned its toes up too? If it has, we are sorry for it. The sand stone city ought to support as good a daily as that was.

Personal.
—Esquire Neptune, prominent citizen of Osage township, was in the Saturday.

—Mr. J. G. McPeak, a prominent citizen of Walnut township, was in town Saturday.

—Mr. J. Taggart, of Adrian, called at the TIMES office Saturday. He reports all things lively in that spry town.

—Mr. William Anderson, of Cass county, and stepfather to our young friend Frank Flora, is lying dangerously ill with pneumonia.

—Mr. R. Walters, city editor of the Mining Review, and Miss Kate Fleming, came up from Rich Hill Saturday. Also Mr. W. C. Hendrix and Miss Ora Delong. They returned with Geo. B. Templeton and bride, who were on the train bound for home.

—Mr. Frank Thompson, who has been visiting relatives and friends in Richmond, Indiana, returned Sunday evening last and is at his old post again, at John A. Lefker's mill. Glad you are back, Frank.

—Judge O. Mitchell of Hume, paid the TIMES office a pleasant call on Monday evening. The Judge is a pleasant, intelligent gentleman and showed it by subscribing for the booming Weekly TIMES. Call again Judge. We are always glad to see your kind.

—Mr. John Haskins and wife, aged respectively seventy-nine and seventy-three, and grandparents to Mrs. Frank Crumly, visited their grand daughter on Friday. This aged couple are the happy grand parents to one hundred and thirty grand and great grandchildren. They have multiplied and replenished the earth, we should smile.

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GREAT SUCCESS.
Still Another Thousand Bottles of Marsh's Golden Balsam.

The Famous Throat and Lung Medicine, to be sold at Ten Cents in Butler.

Our enterprising and reliable druggists, F. M. Crumly & Co., will continue to sell ten cent sample bottles of MARSH'S GOLDEN BALSM for the Throat and Lungs, to all who never have tried it. Persons who have tried this famous Cough remedy can procure the large bottles at 50 cents and \$1.00. No one suffering with Consumption, Bronchitis, a Cough or Cold, Sore Throat, Hoarseness, Croup, Whooping Cough, Asthma, or any Bronchial or pulmonary affection, should fail to try this truly valuable medicine. For the prevention and cure of Consumption of the Lungs it is the greatest remedy Nature has ever conferred to medical science or human research. Thousands of bottles have been given away to prove its extraordinary merit. Two doses will benefit. A large bottle will do wonders. feb 1-1-m daw.

The second installment of dead beats indebted to A. L. McBride & Co.:

J. K. Locke, R. H. McCall, H. S. Speary, Frank Redfield, H. L. Burge, H. L. Fulton, D. E. Rodney, D. R. Gordon, Jas. Maguire, Thos. R. Ridge.

It is in want of anything in mens furnishing goods, Cowles and Co. keep the largest and best selected stock in the Southwest.

We will give twice the market price or a ton of bright Timothy hay. D. Dubach & Co.

For best New York cream cheese, go to Wheeler. 8-2t

For canned fruits, go to Wheeler for low prices. n8-2t

In coffee, Wheeler will sell below all others. n8-2t

Wheeler sells best white sugar at eight and one-half pounds to the dollar 8-2t

Wheeler is selling to smiths the best plow steel at 5 1/2 cents. n8-2t

Wheeler is making prices for iron at a rate that mechanics cannot afford to order from St. Louis. n8-2t

For all kinds of Grass Seeds, go to Wheeler. n8-2t

In Hardware, Wheeler is below them all. Wheeler is selling off his Glass, China and Queensware at cost, to make room for his Spring stock of hardware and groceries 8-2t

For Plows and Cultivators, go to Wheeler's. 8-2t

Remember that Wheeler keeps only the highest grade of farm implements, all of which are warranted superior to all others, and the lowest standard prices. 8-2t

New goods, good goods, fine goods and cheap goods. Come and buy. n8-tf Hahn & Co.

500 pieces of prints at Sims & Co's, S. east corner of square, only 5c per yard. 8-4t

The biggest and finest selection of knives in the city at Stf Hahn & Co's.

Ladies, if you want to have a good cup of coffee, come and buy it at the new grocery house just started, one door west of Cowles' h ot and shoe store. n8-tf Louis Hart.

A large invoice of new goods just received, for sale cheap. Stf Hahn & Co.

A fine assortment of groceries at Sims & Co's, S E Corner of square. 8-4t

The Boss grocery store just opened out at the old Despain stand on north side of square. Come and see him. n8-tf Louis Hart.

Clover, Timothy, Blue-grass, Red-top and other seed in stock. Stf Hahn & Co.

175 coal oil at Sims & Co's—Crumly's old stand 8-4t

If you wish some good Limberger or good kraut, call on the new house of n8-tf Louis Hart.

Cooking stoves—the very best in the market. Inware by the quantity, large or small; all very cheap. Hahn & Co. n8-tf

We still have a large stock of overcoats to select from 6 MS Cowles & Co.

A splendid assortment of staple dry-goods and groceries at Sims & Co's, cheap for cash 8-4t

Table cutlery and spoons. Hahn & Co. n8-tf

Near and far sighted spectacles of all descriptions and for all ages at Franz Bernhardt's 8-tt

Money! Money!
Positively at the lowest rate of interest on good improved farms. In sums and on time to suit the borrower. High interest loans refunded, see or address, Sims & Tucker, Butler, Mo. 45 w

A Warning.
We have the names of several parties on our books who have not treated us fairly, to whom we will give a reasonable length of time to come forward and settle. If not we will be obliged to publish them as dead-beats for the benefit of the trade. 209-2t-w-1t Wells & Bennett.

A Reward.
Any one furnishing us a copy of the Weekly TIMES of December 21st, 1881, we will give 25 cents.

Cowles & Co. always keep a full line of Walker oots.
Our stock of Boots, Shoes and Rubbers always full n6 MS Cowles & Co.

It is thought by some that one hundred thousand dollars will be required to bring the Ft. Scott, St. Louis & Chicago road to our gates. We don't believe that amount will be required, but suppose it is? What is one hundred thousand dollars to the solid men of Butler as compared to the benefits the road would confer? Why, we could name four men in this city who are worth over one hundred thousand in the aggregate, besides many other small fry, who could put a shoulder to the wheel. It is not your poverty, but your unwillingness to contribute a farthing to this great enterprise. It could soon be ascertained how much will be required, and how much you can stand to pay, if you wanted too. Less than ten per cent of your taxable property will bring the road here, we are sure.

We were misinformed in regard to the sale of J. Riddle to A. L. McBride and Frank Smith. The trade will probably be closed with D. F. Beegle of Pleasant Hill this week.

Order of Publication.
STATE OF MISSOURI, County of Bates —ss. In the Circuit Court of said county, March term, 1882.
Amelia A. Taylor, plaintiff, vs. George A. Taylor, defendant.

At this day comes the plaintiff herein, by her attorney, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court that the defendant George A. Taylor cannot be summoned in this action, whereupon it is ordered by the court that said defendant be notified by publication that plaintiff has commenced a suit against him in this court, by petition and affidavit in the Circuit Court of Bates county, Missouri, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony heretofore contracted with said defendant upon the grounds of desertion and failing to provide for said plaintiff, and that unless he be and appear at the next term of this court, to be begun and holden at the court house in the city of Butler, in said county, on the Second Monday in March next, and on or before the sixth day of said term, if the term shall so long continue—and if not, then on or before the last day of said term—answer or plead to the petition in said cause, the same will be taken as confessed, and judgment will be rendered accordingly. And it is further ordered, that a copy hereof be published, according to law, in the Bates County TIMES, a weekly newspaper printed and published in Bates county, Missouri, for four weeks successively, the last insertion to be at least four weeks before the first day of the next term of this court.
J. R. JENKINS, Circuit Clerk.
A True copy from the Record.
Witness my hand and the seal (L. S.) of the Circuit Court of Bates county, this 3rd day of December, 1881.
J. R. JENKINS, Circuit Clerk.
Martin L. Brown, Att'y for Pl'ff. n5-4w

PARKER'S HAIR BALM.
The Best, Cleanest and most Economical Hair Dressing.
Never Fails to Restore the youthful color to grey hair, and cures itching humors, dandruff, etc.
Flourescent Cologne.
A new and exceedingly fragrant and lasting perfume. Price 25c and 50c.
PARKER'S GINGERTONIC
A Pure Family Medicine that Never Intoxicates.
If you are a mechanic or farmer, worn out with overwork, or a mother run down by family or household duties try PARKER'S GINGERTONIC.
If you are a lawyer, minister or business man exhausted by mental strain or anxious cares do not take intoxicating stimulants, but use PARKER'S GINGERTONIC.
If you have Dyspepsia, Rheumatism, Kidney or Urinary Complaints, or if you are troubled with any disorder of the lungs, stomach, bowels, blood or nerves you can be cured by PARKER'S GINGERTONIC.
If you are wasting away from age, dissipation or any disease or weakness and require a stimulant take GINGERTONIC at once: it will invigorate and build you up from the first dose but will never intoxicate. It has saved hundreds of lives it may save yours.
HUSCOX & CO., 163 William St., New York. No. 201 one dollar size, 50c all others in medicine.
GREAT SAVING BUYING DOLLAR SIZE.

FARMERS AND EMIGRANTS
Wishing farm Horses, Mares or Mules will do well to call on C. T. TRACY, at the Southern Stables, Butler, he always keeps a supply. 8 tf.

CITY HOTEL,
H. H. MILLER Prop'r.
On Ft. Scott st. 1-2 block from Southwest corner of the square.
Meals - - - - - 25 cents.
Board per day - - - \$1.00.
3n 30m

I HAVE Removed DRUGS
to the building on the WEST SIDE formerly occupied by
POST OFFICE.
64w. F. M. CRUMLY.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.
Whereas Emma Durand and Eugene Durand, her husband, by their Deed of Trust dated July 17th, 1879 and recorded in the Recorder's office, in Bates county Missouri in Book No. 17 at page 443 conveyed to the undersigned trustee to secure the payment of the note in said Deed of Trust fully described the following described real estate, situated in the county of Bates, and State of Missouri, viz: All of Blocks numbered 1-2-3-30-31 and 39 in Prairie City, including all the streets and alleys adjoining said Blocks that have been vacated, and whereas said note and interest are past due and unpaid. Now therefore at the request of the legal holder of said note and by virtue of the authority in me vested by said Deed of Trust I will as Trustee sell said land at the East front door of the Court House in the city of Butler in said Bates county on
Wednesday February 8th, 1882.
between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon, of that day, to the highest bidder for cash in hand to satisfy said note, interest and costs.
F. J. TYGARD, Trustee.
no-7-4w.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.
Whereas James M. Jones and Narcisus Jones his wife and Thomas W. Sellers by their Deed of Trust, dated August 14th, 1879, and recorded in the Recorder's office of Bates county Missouri in Book No. 17 at page 461 conveyed to the undersigned to secure the payment of the note in said Deed of Trust fully described the following described real estate situated in the county of Bates and State of Missouri, viz: The south half of lots numbered 2 and 3 in the south west quarter of section (7), township 35 of range 33 containing 88 acres more or less, and whereas said note is past due and unpaid: Now therefore at the request of the legal holder of said note and by virtue of the authority in me vested by said Deed of Trust I will as Trustee aforesaid sell said Real Estate at the East door of the Court House in the city of Butler, Bates county Missouri, on
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TRUSTEE'S SALE.
Whereas James R. McRay (who declared himself to be single and unmarried) by his deed of trust, dated November 22d 1880 and recorded in the Recorder's office in Bates county Missouri in book No. 23 at page 135 conveyed to the undersigned to secure the payment of the note in said deed of trust, fully described the following described real estate, situated in the County of Bates and State of Missouri, viz:
Beginning at the Southeast corner of lot six in block two in Harper's subdivision of the Southwest quarter of the Southwest quarter of section 23 in township 40 of range 31 running thence West 1 chain and 55 hundredths, thence North 4 chains and 55 hundredths, thence East 1 chain and 55 hundredths, thence South 4 chains and 55 hundredths, to the place of beginning and whereas said note and interest are past due and unpaid. Now therefore at the request of the legal holder of said note and by virtue of the authority in me vested by said deed of trust, I will as trustee sell said land at the Court House door in the city of Butler in said Bates county on
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Dissolution Notice.
Notice is hereby given that the copartnership heretofore existing between S. Airsch & Lewis Hoffman under the firm name of S. Hirsch & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent, Mr. Hirsch retiring and Mr. Hoffman remaining sole proprietor of the business, assuming all liabilities of the old firm.
S. HIRSCH,
LEWIS HOFFMAN.
n7-4t

Final Settlement.
Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of Drury Morris, deceased, that I, the administratrix of said estate intend to make final settlement thereof at the next February Term of the Probate court of Bates county n6-4w SIRENA MORRIS, Adm'rx.

NOTICE.
Notice is hereby given that letters of administration, with the will annexed, upon the estate of Sallie W. Harris, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned by the Bates county Probate court, in Bates county, Missouri, bearing date the 6th day of January 1882. All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them to me for allowance, within one year from the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate, and if said claims are not exhibited within two years from the date of the publication of this notice, they will be forever barred.
S. A. PHELPS,
8-4t Adm'r with the will annexed.